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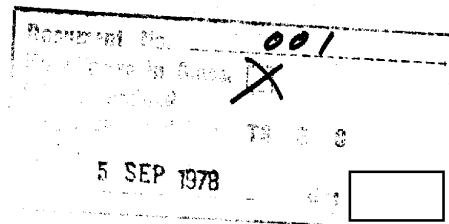
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The current policy of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam (DRV) is to bleed
the opposition by scattered attacks of a guerrilla nature. In the recent
offensive this kind of tactic was highly successful. Thus, if there were
a major attack on Hanoi, the Hanoi Front would undoubtedly stage an
uprising in the town. However, the DRV feels there is no need at present
for a major offensive. The Chinese Communists also appear to be satisfied
with the progress of the fighting.



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